

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
GREENVILLE DIVISION**

PATRICIA GHOSTON

PLAINTIFF

VS.

CIVIL ACTION NO.: 4:20-cv-00109-DMB-JMV

RANDY SHEPLER *et al.*

DEFENDANTS

ORDER STAYING CERTAIN PROCEEDINGS

Local Uniform Civil Rule 16(b)(1)(B) provides, “[a] motion to remand... will stay the attorney conference and disclosure requirements **and all discovery not relevant to the remand... issue** and will stay the parties’ obligation to make disclosures pending the court’s ruling on the motion...” L.U. Civ. R. 16(b)(1)(B) (emphasis added).

A motion to remand [5] has been filed. Therefore, staying all discovery, except permitted discovery concerning the remand issue, is appropriate at this time.

Should any party desire to take remand-related discovery, it must file a motion to do so within seven (7) days hereof, setting forth the specific discovery sought. If any party objects to the motion, it shall file an objection within four (4) days following service of the motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the aforementioned proceedings are hereby **STAYED**, and the [4] case management conference shall be continued by further notice of the court, pending a ruling on the motion to remand.

SO ORDERED this, the 24th day of July, 2020.

/s/ Jane M. Virden

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE